



**Online Medical  
Careers Tuition**  
*for Year 10/11's interested  
in a career in medicine*

## What is Medical Careers Tuition for?

It is designed to give young people more information about applying to medical school, and to give them an insight into the skills they'd need.

A medical student discusses the application process and share some of their experiences. A practicing medic also speaks about their work.

## What happens?

The tuition session starts with a presentation outlining what the young people need to consider before they apply to Medical School.

Young people are guided through a real-life medical ethics scenario, and are challenged to consider how they would have reacted.

They are taught how to diagnose a patient and consider how they would take observations and ask a patient about their history.

At the end of the session young people hear from a doctor, and also get the opportunity to put questions to the medical student.

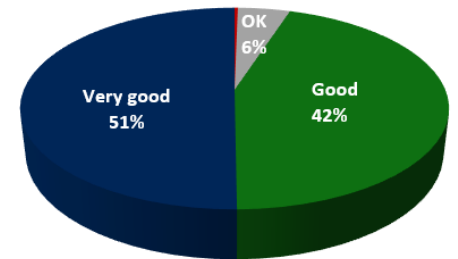
Afterwards they receive a certificate for their record of achievement, and can also view videos from different doctors speaking about their experiences.

## How are they rated?

We have a strong record in delivering medical careers events:

In 2019/20 95% of the young people and 97% of the accompanying adults rated their Medical Careers Day as 'good' or 'very good'.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S OVERALL EVALUATION RESULTS



## 2020 Medical Careers Days results

Additionally, 95% of young people said that their event had given them a better idea of whether or not they'd like to study medicine.



## Importance of Medical Experiences

The BMA states that 'competition for medical school places is fierce' with twice the number of applications per available place than the higher education average as a whole. Being able to demonstrate suitable experiences and receiving good advice is vital.<sup>1</sup>

## What are the timings of the sessions?

Online tuition sessions typically take place between 2pm and 4.15pm, though these timings can be altered to meet the needs of an individual school. The typical itinerary for a session is as follows...

- Introduction – 5 minutes
- Presentation – Medical student discusses what the young people should consider if they want to apply to medical school - 20 minutes
- Q & A session – The medical student answers questions from the young people- 5 minutes
- Diagnostics – Young people are taught how to diagnose a patient – 40 minutes
- Break – 5 minutes
- Medical Ethics – Young people are guided through a real life scenario, and debate how they would have reacted to it– 40 minutes
- Practising medic - A doctor discusses some of the pros and cons of a career in medicine – 10 minutes
- Q & A session – The doctor answers questions from the young people- 10 minutes

## I am interested, how do I book?

Online tuition sessions are for twelve students from Year 10 or 11. They can be held either in a classroom using the big screen and webcam at the front, or with young people joining from home.

The cost of a session is **£325 + V.A.T** for **twelve students**.

To reserve a place for your school please email John Waterworth to confirm your intentions.

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